

**NR Eligible: yes** \_\_\_\_  
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**MARYLAND HISTORICAL TRUST  
NR-ELIBILITY REVIEW FORM**

Continuation Sheet No. 1

WA-I-502

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# Maryland Historical Trust State Historic Sites Inventory Form

## 1. Name (indicate preferred name)

historic Miller Farm

and/or common

## 2. Location

street & number West side Route 63, north of I-70 \_\_\_\_\_ not for publication  
Interchange

city, town Huyett \_\_\_\_\_ X vicinity of \_\_\_\_\_ congressional district

state Maryland \_\_\_\_\_ county Washington

## 3. Classification

Category	Ownership	Status	Present Use	
___ district	___ public	X occupied	X agriculture	___ museum
X building(s)	X private	___ unoccupied	___ commercial	___ park
___ structure	___ both	___ work in progress	___ educational	X private residence
___ site	<b>Public Acquisition</b>	<b>Accessible</b>	___ entertainment	___ religious
___ object	___ in process	X yes: restricted	___ government	___ scientific
	___ being considered	___ yes: unrestricted	___ industrial	___ transportation
	X not applicable	___ no	___ military	___ other:

## 4. Owner of Property (give names and mailing addresses of all owners)

name

street & number \_\_\_\_\_ telephone no.: \_\_\_\_\_

city, town \_\_\_\_\_ state and zip code \_\_\_\_\_

## 5. Location of Legal Description

courthouse, registry of deeds, etc. \_\_\_\_\_ liber \_\_\_\_\_

street & number \_\_\_\_\_ folio \_\_\_\_\_

city, town \_\_\_\_\_ state \_\_\_\_\_

## 6. Representation in Existing Historical Surveys

title

date \_\_\_\_\_ federal \_\_\_ state \_\_\_ county \_\_\_ local

depository for survey records

city, town \_\_\_\_\_ state \_\_\_\_\_

## 7. Description

Survey No. WA-I-502

<b>Condition</b>		<b>Check one</b>	<b>Check one</b>
<input type="checkbox"/> excellent	<input type="checkbox"/> deteriorated	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> unaltered	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> original site
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> good	<input type="checkbox"/> ruins	<input type="checkbox"/> altered	<input type="checkbox"/> moved    date of move _____
<input type="checkbox"/> fair	<input type="checkbox"/> unexposed		

Prepare both a summary paragraph and a general description of the resource and its various elements as it exists today.

This farm complex is set back at a distance from the west side of Route 63, near the I-70 interchange south of Huyett. It is situated in open farmland sloping from the east side of a slight ridge. The complex contains a house which faces east toward Route 63 with a large bank barn to its north. The house is a rectangular block five bays wide, 2½ stories high, and gable roofed. Viewed from a distance the house may be of stone construction, now painted white.

The central bay of the principal facade is unusual for its slightly projecting, 2½ story, gabled section. This central section may have been a late 19th century Queen Anne style addition to the building. A small one-story porch covers the central bays of the first floor. The bank barn to the north of the house is built into a bank sloping from west to east. It has an unsupported forebay on its east facade. The buildings appear to be in good condition and with few modern alterations.

## 8. Significance

Survey No. WA-I-502

Period	Areas of Significance—Check and justify below			
<input type="checkbox"/> prehistoric	<input type="checkbox"/> archeology-prehistoric	<input type="checkbox"/> community planning	<input type="checkbox"/> landscape architecture	<input type="checkbox"/> religion
<input type="checkbox"/> 1400-1499	<input type="checkbox"/> archeology-historic	<input type="checkbox"/> conservation	<input type="checkbox"/> law	<input type="checkbox"/> science
<input type="checkbox"/> 1500-1599	<input type="checkbox"/> agriculture	<input type="checkbox"/> economics	<input type="checkbox"/> literature	<input type="checkbox"/> sculpture
<input type="checkbox"/> 1600-1699	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> architecture	<input type="checkbox"/> education	<input type="checkbox"/> military	<input type="checkbox"/> social/
<input type="checkbox"/> 1700-1799	<input type="checkbox"/> art	<input type="checkbox"/> engineering	<input type="checkbox"/> music	<input type="checkbox"/> humanitarian
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 1800-1899	<input type="checkbox"/> commerce	<input type="checkbox"/> exploration/settlement	<input type="checkbox"/> philosophy	<input type="checkbox"/> theater
<input type="checkbox"/> 1900-	<input type="checkbox"/> communications	<input type="checkbox"/> industry	<input type="checkbox"/> politics/government	<input type="checkbox"/> transportation
		<input type="checkbox"/> invention		<input type="checkbox"/> other (specify)

### Specific dates

### Builder/Architect

check: Applicable Criteria: ☐ A ☐ B ☒ C ☐ D  
and/or

Applicable Exception: ☐ A ☐ B ☐ C ☐ D ☐ E ☐ F ☐ G

Level of Significance: ☐ national ☐ state ☒ local

Prepare both a summary paragraph of significance and a general statement of history and support.

The Miller Farm is significant architecturally for its unusual house and well-preserved bank barn. The house, which may be of stone construction and now painted white, features a projecting central pavilion. This may be a later Queen Anne style addition to the building, which may date from the mid-19th century or earlier. The bank barn is a good example of an important regional barn type.

The property is shown on the 1877 Lake, Griffing, and Stevenson atlas of Washington County as that of a Mrs. Miller.

## 9. Major Bibliographical References

Survey No. WA-I-502

Lake, Griffing, and Stevenson, An Illustrated Atlas of Washington County, Maryland, Philadelphia, 1877.

Taggart, T., A Map of Washington County, Maryland, 1859.

## 10. Geographical Data

Acreage of nominated property \_\_\_\_\_

Quadrangle name \_\_\_\_\_

Quadrangle scale \_\_\_\_\_

UTM References do NOT complete UTM references

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Verbal boundary description and justification

List all states and counties for properties overlapping state or county boundaries

state	code	county	code
state	code	county	code

state	code	county	code
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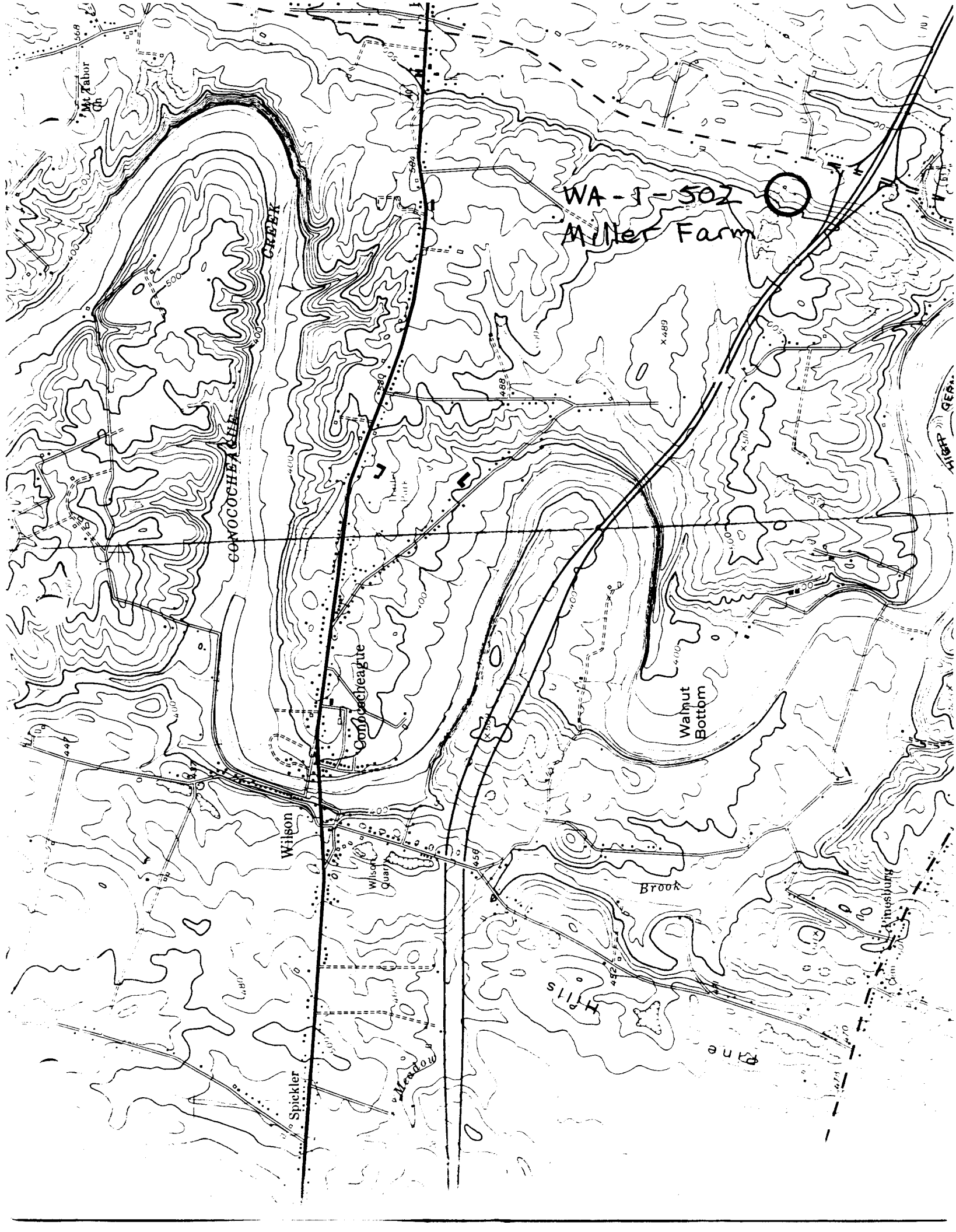
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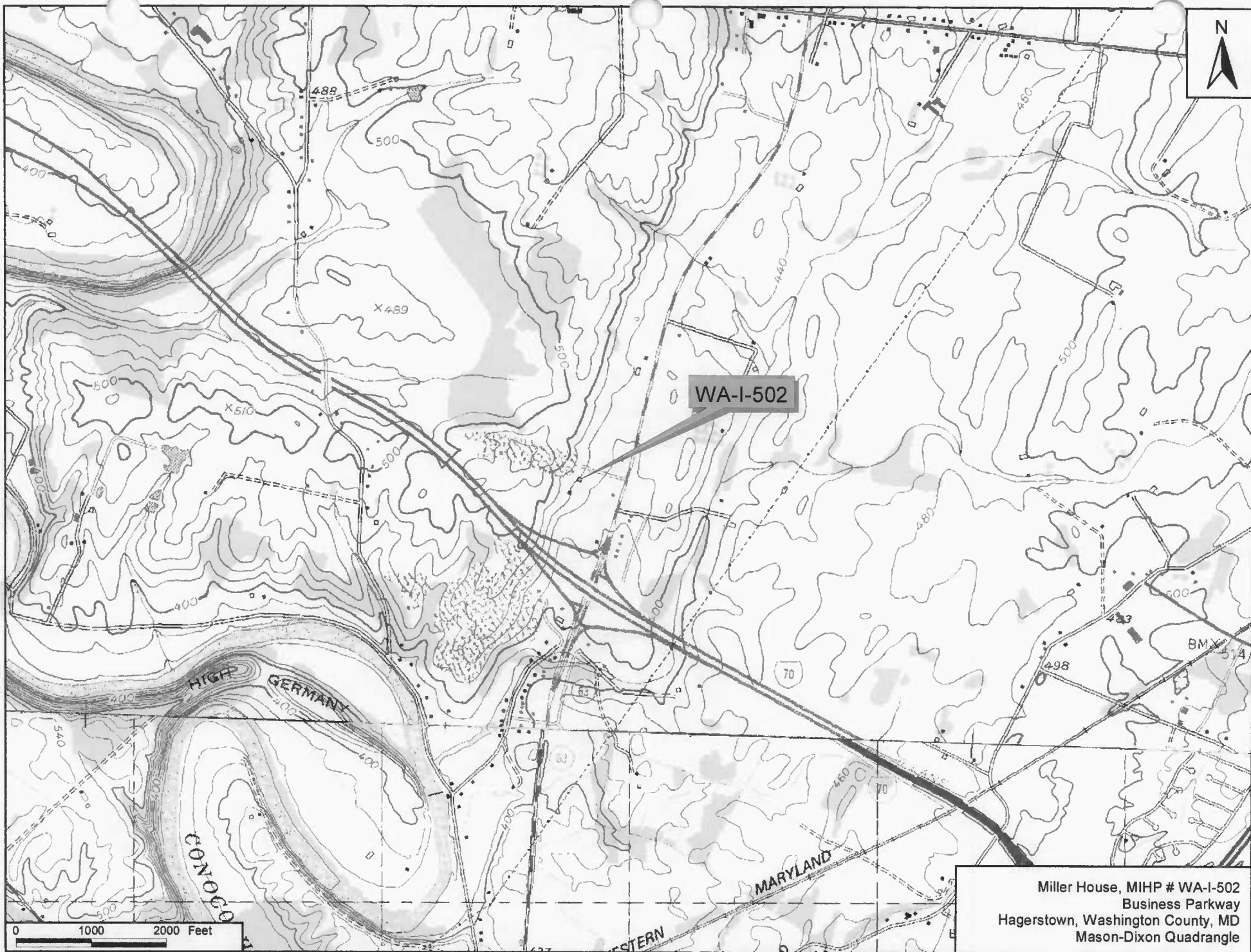
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city or town	Annapolis	state	Maryland 21401

The Maryland Historic Sites Inventory was officially created by an Act of the Maryland Legislature to be found in the Annotated Code of Maryland, Article 41, Section 181 KA, 1974 supplement.

The survey and inventory are being prepared for information and record purposes only and do not constitute any infringement of individual property rights.

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Miller House, MIHP # WA-I-502  
Business Parkway  
Hagerstown, Washington County, MD  
Mason-Dixon Quadrangle





Miller House

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Business Parkway

Hagerstown, MD

Washington Co.

photographer Kristie Lalive, 3/8/2003

front and south side elevation

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Miller House

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Business Parkway

Hagerstown, MD

Washington Co.

photographer: Kristie Lalre 3/2/2002

north side elevation

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Miller house viewshed facing northwest  
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Business Parkway  
Hagerstown, MD  
Washington Co

photographer Kristie Lalire, 3/2/2003

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Miller House

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Business Parkway

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South side elevation

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